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First Named Inventor

Derek I. Darley

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Remarks

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 22409-00247-US	
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Applicant(s): Derek I. Darley et al.

Invention: TRANSFORMABLE SPEECH PROCESSOR MODULE FOR A HEARING PROSTHESIS

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	27	- 20 =	7	x 50.00	350.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>	3	- 4 =		x	
<b>Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>					
<b>Other fee (please specify):</b> Extension for response within first month; Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 CFR 1.114)					930.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					1,280.00

☒ Large Entity
 ☐ Small Entity

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